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In response to the Office action dated October 5, 2004, please amend the application as set forth below.